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| For : | SPORTS BOARD WITH INTERCHANGEABLE EDGE SECTION AND CONNECTION MEANS THEREFORE. | | |

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to the substantive examination of the subject application, please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 11 of this paper.